CONTRACTS FOR COLTS WILL BE MAILED SOON

Secretary Bradley Waiting to Hear From Manager as to Trades—To Improve Local Park—Are Players Using Federal League as Bludgeon Over Magnates?

definitely from Manager Ray Ryan as to what he wants done. There are several trades not yet consummated and several deals still hanging fire. Upon the result of these trades and deals, some being direct purchases, will largely depend the personnel of the Colts during the coming playing season.

Gus Schrader, who has been offered in a trade by Buck Pressly, who will lead the Tars to victory or mayhap defeat in 1914, is still being considered along with another prospect. It is un-derstood that Ducky Eberts is the out-fielder Pressly is after, while he will cover the initial sack for the Tars

Harry Mathews, the commanding general of the Shipbuilders, wants Charley Strain, and is willing to talk trade to Ryan. Strain seems unwilling trade to Kynn. Strain seems unwilling to remain in Richmond and would welcome any deal by which he is shifted to any other city in the league. There seems to be no foundation for the ru-mor that Charley was wanted by the Feds. Strain is a good youngster and usually gives good account of himself, but he is by no means a "wunderkind," nor is it likely that he has yet ripened into big league material or anything approximating big league timber. He started last season in great shape, but after being worked as general utility man for several weeks, began to de-eline in his pitching ability.

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A Peculiar Situation

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Contracts for members of the 1914
Richmond Baseball Club will be mailed out in a few days, just as soon as Secretary W. B. Bradley is able to hear

Onnbury club, in the Connecticut League, has been offered a herth in the Federal League, says report. Patsy must like trying everything new. It is stuck to the United States League

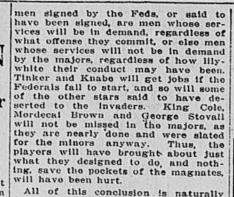
Ayers Signs Contract.

Doctor Yancey Wyatt Ayers, from Hillsville, suh, has signed to play with the Washington club, and, unless we mistake a guess, the said Yancey Wyatt will find his name in the top-lines many times during 1914. Ayers has everything to make him a star.
He is built for pitching purposes.
There is just one possibility of his being the author of his own undoing too often youngsters with wonderful futures have forgotten that thy do not possess a copyright on all the knowledge in the world. Those of us who think well of Ayers and who want the big fellow to make good, will follow his progress in the bope that he will prove himself worthy of our

About the Federal League.

Speaking of that Federal League, we are very much of the opinion of a Western scribe who, after learning that Joe Tinker had said that the

contemplates many improvements. The rough places around first and second bases will be smoothed over, while the outfield will be made as level as a pariot floor. Coats of paint will make the appearance of new, while the approaches to the stands will be gravelled so that rain will not make a quagmire through which patrons must wade to get under cover



All of this conclusion is naturally All of this conclusion is naturally dependent upon the assumption that the players are in on the "know;" that they were posted in advance, and that with some wise head dictating, for instance, a man with the inside knowledge, common sense and legal ability of Dave Fultz, they have been steered along a wide and known path.

At all events, a great scare has been thrown into the camp of the organization, and the leaders are showing their utter disregard for the Feds by signing their men at a breakneck pace and under almost any conditions dictated.

Blues and Spiders Get Horse Show Building to Stage Series of Events.

Sheppard Crump, manager of the track team of the Blues, and Manager Carter, of the track team at Richmond College, yesterday closed a contract with Colonel John H. Livingston, lessee of the horseshow building, for its use on Saturday, February 7 and Saturday, February 21

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Plans Progressing for State Meet of Star Pinspillers. Awaiting Committee.

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Chief Rooter Paine, of Washington and Baltimore, is now in the city and has visited the Palace and Newport allays, in behalf of the Washington and Baltimore Association in regards to the Intercity turnament to be held here, starting some time next month.

The Richmond Bowling Association's committe is expecting a committee from Washington and Baltimore in a few days to hold a meeting here to draw up the contstitution and to make rules and to draw up by-laws. At the meeting there will be a definite date made for the opening of the intercity tournament.

This tournament will be a State, as well as a city tournament, any city in the State of Maryland, District of Columbia and Virginia may take part in this turnament. The managers of the different alleys here are writing to all parts of Virginia to other alley men to try and get them interested in this big affair. No doubt this turney will be far superior to the one held in Washington, last February. The cities listed in Virginia now are Richmond, Petersburg, Norfolk, Roanoke, Danville, Lynchburg and South Boston, Newport News.

The intercity or State tournament

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The intercity or State tournament will consist of three classes, Class A, B and C.

Class A means an average of 175 or better, Class B an average 160 to 174, Class C means an average of 160 and under. The entry fee will be \$1 for each event, for instance a five-man team will be \$5, two-man team will \$2, individuals will be \$1 each.

BOWLING

The Remington team won all three games from the Sibiey Shoe Company aggregation on the Newport alleys last night.

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To-night the Cook Printing Company will meet the Alcos in the Richmond League.

The O. H. Berry Company will meet the W. S. Forbes aggregation, in the Central League, to-night.

This afternoon, at 1 o'clock, Wade and Arrighi will meet Ellis and Whitman in a two-man exhibition in a seven game series. Total pins to count for the championship of the Richmond. for the championship of the Richmond Class A League. Scores:

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	Beardsley	181	173	146	
	Thorpe	154	181	166	501
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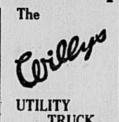
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"THE FORTUNE HUNTER." . "

Track athletics in Richmond are about to occupy the centre of the stage as winter entertainment for lovers of sports. The season will be really inaugurated Saturday night, when the Blues hold an intercompany meet for the purpose of furnishing amusement to members and friends of the battallon, and also to determine which of the many applicants for positions on the team come up to standard requirements.

Frank Dobson, nominally head of athletics at the now conquering camp of the Spiders, has added to his many duties, and is trying to whip the militiamen into shape for their first real test of speed and brawn when they meet the Howitzers in a dual clash one week from next Saturday. Dobson, just to show that he is able to domany thing, and all of them well, is also handling the path treaders of Richmond Academy.

The Blues Armory will indeed be a busy place during the frost period and well into the balmy days of spring. Dobson is taking all of his charges.

Commission to Make Plans for 194.

Fresident Julien II. Jill. of the Amateur Isaseball Commission, who is a present out of the city on business for the amateur Isaseball Commission, who is at present out of the city on business for the amateur Isaseball Commission, who is at present out of the city on business for the amateur Isaseball Commission on the Commission of the Commission of the city on business for the amateur Isaseball Commission of the city on business for the amateur Isaseball Commission of the city on business for the amateur Isaseball Commission of the city on business for the amateur Isaseball Commission of the commission of the city on business for the amateur Isaseball Commission of the city on business for the amateur Isaseball Commission of the city on business for the amateur Isaseball Commission of the city of the saburbanices have accepted the invisentative teams.

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C.C.C. Activities

Plans to open the baseball season at the Church Civic Association field on March 14 are under way. On Saturday at 3:80 o'clock the members of the teams will meet at the association field to take the action necessary to have

sociation members. This year two more teams will be added.

Basketball is very popular with the association members this season, and Manager R. E. Bell, of the basketball squad, is turning out one of the fastest teams in the city.

Field hockey is attracting a great deal of attention, especially these cold snappy days. This game is played in the large basketball court, and is exceedingly popular.

A large squad will soon go in training for the Richmond Amateur Athleitic Federation indoor meet to be held at the Blues' Armory Saturday night, January 31.

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as well as to the drafting rule. It is highly probable that the commission will vote to amend these rules. Another question, arising each playing season. Is that of securing proper grounds for the piecero, it is bractically certain that the City Council will be asked for an appropriation.

President Hill some time ago wrote to the presidents of the various leagues asking that they prepare suggestions concerning changes in rules and anything each playing season. Is that of securing proper question, arising each playing season. Is that of securing proper question, arising each playing season. Is that of securing proper question, arising each playing season. Is that of securing proper the provided that the commission will vote to amend these rules. Another question, arising each playing season. Is that of securing proper question, arising each playing season. Is that of securing proper question, arising each playing season. Is that of securing proper question, arising each playing season. Is that of securing proper question, arising each playing season. Is that of securing proper question, arising each playing season. Is that of securing proper question, arising each playing season. Is that of securing proper question, arising each playing season. Is that of securing proper question, arising each playing season. Is that of securing proper question. MEET NEXT WEEK JOHNSON SIGNS

President Hill to Call Session of Commission to Make Plans for 1914.

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